

Reply of Government.—Let the Municipality apply with offer of money and the matter will receive attention.

Subject No. 426.

Repairs to the Virjanadi channel.

Mr. Ankappa.

Summary of Discussion.—According to the Virjanadi channel statement the level of the channel is low. Repairs to the channel from the beginning to the tail end are therefore needed. The raiyats owning lands below the channel could not irrigate their lands for want of full supply of water. Pray that steps may be taken to repair the channel early.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

Subject No. 427.

Contracts for annual repairs of channels.

Mr. Ankappa.

Summary of Representation.—According to Government orders, the contract for the annual repairs of channels should be given to the raiyats of villages through which the channel runs. The contract is given to non-agriculturists. These people do not clear the weeds in a satisfactory manner. It is therefore prayed that such contracts may be always given to the raiyats owning lands under the nala.

Withdrawn.

Subject No. 428.

Repairing the Thalekere Hebballa.

Mr. Thimmanaiya.

Summary of Representation.—The Thalekere Hebballa situated on the borders of the Nagamangala Taluk and French Rocks Sub-Taluk was feeding the Thonnur tank and the surplus water of this tank was not only filling the Hirode tank but was also supplying water to the lands below the tank and the people of Hirode for drinking purposes. Some 8 or 10 years ago a dam was thrown across the Hebballa near Melkote and the water diverted to the Dalvoy tank, thus cutting off the supply of water to Thonnur and Hirode tanks.

The people of Hirode have no drinking water reservoir. Pray that the dam thrown across the Thalekere-Hebballa may be removed and arrangements may be made to feed the Thonnur and Hirode tanks. If this is not feasible, request that the nala drawn from the Hemagiri anikat which is now out of order may be kindly repaired thereby ensuring a full supply of water to both the Thonnur and Hirode tanks.

Reply of Government.—Will be investigated in the Public Works Department.

Subject No. 429.

Construction of an anikat and "Kolavoy" to the Bangar Doddi nala.

Mr. T. Venkataramanasetti.

Summary of Representation.—The Bangar Doddi nala has no proper anikat nor "kolavoys" built near its starting point. Water is left to flow in the nala by strengthening the present stone work with turf which gets washed off by the action of water with the result that the nala water is wasted to the prejudice of irrigation. It is therefore prayed that the Bangar Doddi nala may be provided with an anikat and "kolavoys."

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Chief Engineer.